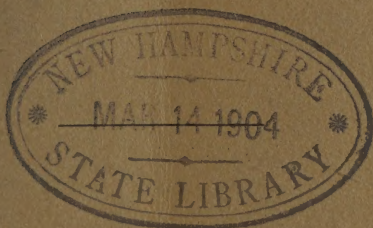


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Town Officers.

Representative,

GEORGE L. CHASE.

Moderator,

ALBERT H. VARNEY.

Town Clerk,

H. JENNESS PAUL.

Selectmen,

J. THORNTON PIKE,

EUGENE C. PATRIDGE,

GEORGE W. PAUL,

Town Treasurer,

WILLIAM H. CONNER.

Collector of Taxes,

HERBERT W. SMITH.

Auditor,

FRANK C. NEAL.

Supervisors,

GEORGE W. KENDALL,

THOMAS SHEEHY.

JESSE S. GRAY,

School Board,

MRS. MARY C. FITTS,

FRANK C. NEAL.

CHARLES E. SMITH,

Library Trustees,

HARRIET E. SANBORN,

EMMA P. CONNER.

J. THORNTON PIKE,

Health Officers.

ALBERT H. VARNEY,

H. W. SMITH.

GEORGE W. PAUL,

Fire Wards,

CHARLES E. SMITH,

FRED S. FOSS,

C. A. POLLARD,

GEORGE W. PAUL,

JOHN HERLIHY,

JERRY TOWLE.

Highway Agents,

N. G. HOWARD,

DANIEL R. SMITH.

PERRY T. KUSE,

Valuation and Appropriations.

VALUATION APRIL 1, 1903.

132 polls,	\$13,200 00
Real estate,	196,646 00
88 horses,	4,770 00
4 oxen,	350 00
121 cows,	3,222 00
17 neat stock,	300 00
12 sheep,	48 00
2 carriages,	300 00
Stock in bank,	2,313 00
Money on hand and at interest,	7,100 00
Stock in trade,	7,200 00
Machinery,	4,950 00
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	\$240,399 00

APPROPRIATIONS.

School money, by law,	\$852 00
“ supplies,	100 00
Extra school money, (school district meeting,)	425 00
Blackboards, “ “ “	100 00
Highways, by law,	610 00
“ extra,	100 00
Discounts,	450 00
Town officers,	300 00
Memorial purposes,	25 00
Public Library,	50 00
County tax,	1,136 14
Street lighting,	350 00
Miscellaneous,	200 00
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	\$4,698 14

Collector's Report.

NEWFIELDS, N. H., Feb. 15, 1904.

Amount 1900 tax uncollected Feb. 15, 1903,	\$7 50
Cash to Treasurer,	7 50
Amount 1901 tax uncollected Feb. 15, 1903,	91 41
Interest collected,	1 85

\$93 26

Cash to Treasurer,	\$80 00
Balance uncollected Feb. 15, 1904,	13 26

\$93 26

Balance 1902 tax uncollected Feb. 15, 1903,	\$60 57
Interest collected,	1 20

\$61 77

Amount abatements,	\$10 80
Cash to Treasurer,	25 00

\$35 80

Amount uncollected Feb. 15, 1904,	\$25 97
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Amount 1903 tax submitted for collection,	\$4,851 15
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Interest,	1 42
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\$4,852 57

Cash to Treasurer,	\$4,245 00
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Amount discount allowed,	329 44
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Amount abatement,	12 00
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\$4,586 44

Amount uncollected Feb. 15, 1904,	\$266 13
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H. W. SMITH, Collector.

Examined and approved Feb. 15, 1904.

GEORGE W. PAUL,	} Selectmen of Newfields.
E. C. PATRIDGE,	

Treasurer's Report.

W. H. CONNER in account with the town of Newfields.

DR.

Received cash on hand Feb. 15, 1903,	\$308 48
Exeter Banking Co., on note,	1,000 00
Interest on Brodhead fund,	350 00
Interest on Walker fund,	35 00
W. H. C. Follansby, soldiers' aid and county poor,	1,263 66
H. W. Smith, taxes, 1903,	4,245 00
“ “ 1902,	25 00
“ “ 1901,	80 00
“ “ 1900,	7 50
Mischievous boys,	4 50
Licenses on dogs,	54 80
State License Commission,	331 65
“ Treasurer, insurance tax,	19 50
“ “ railroad tax,	676 09
“ “ savings bank tax,	499 79
“ “ literary fund,	63 72
“ “ High School tuition,	7 50
C. W. Palmer, income Town Hall,	14 00
	\$8,986 19

CR.

Paid State tax,	\$603 50
County tax,	1,136 14
Dependent soldiers and county poor,	1,263 66

Paid School Board,	\$1,531 62
" supplies,	163 64
Highway District, No. 1,	458 18
" " No. 2,	163 00
" " No. 3,	185 63
Electric lights,	357 66
Police,	31 50
Cemeteries,	43 00
Bridges and culverts,	114 32
Miscellaneous,	357 71
Town officers,	305 96
Public Library,	406 41
Exeter Banking Co., discounted notes,	1,011 67
C. H. Sanborn, note and interest,	525 00
Quarantine,	118 27
Damage by dogs,	3 00
Balance in treasury,	206 32
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	\$8,986 19

W. H. CONNER, Treasurer.

TOWN OFFICERS.

Paid H. Jenness Paul, Town Clerk,	\$39 10
William H. Conner, Treasurer,	45 00
J. T. Pike, Selectman,	53 50
George W. Paul, "	54 00
E. C. Patridge, "	34 00
Frank C. Neal, Auditor,	5 00
Bert P. Doe, for Election Officers,	4 00
A. H. Varney, Health Officer,	6 00
H. W. Smith, Collector,	65 36

 \$305 96

SCHOOL BOARD.

Paid Mary C. Fitts, services on School Board,	\$20 00
Charles E. Smith, " " "	15 00
Frank C. Neal, " " "	15 00
Lewis C. Hall, Clerk, " "	2 50
Clara E. Paul, Treasurer, " "	10 00
" " money by law,	852 00
" " school meeting	
" " appropriation,	425 00
" " blackboards,	100 00
" " literary fund,	63 72
" " dog tax,	28 40

 \$1,531 62

POLICE AND CONSTABLES.

Paid Jesse S. Gray, Police Officer,	\$23 50
Horace Clough, watching July 4,	2 00
John Herlihy, " "	2 00
Charles E. Lyons, " "	2 00
William Pease, special service,	2 00

 \$31 50

DAMAGE BY DOGS.

Paid David LeVangie, hens killed,	\$3 00
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SCHOOL SUPPLIES.

Paid Ginn & Co.,	\$26 17
E. E. Babb & Co.,	31 42
Maynard, Merrill & Co.,	22 83
The Morse Co.,	4 01
American Book Co.,	42 00
Holden Book Cover Co.,	1 88
American Express Co.,	2 30
Houghton, Mifflin & Co.,	10 83
R. E. Lane,	1 95
D. C. Heath & Co.,	5 25
Mrs. Mary C. Fitts,	15 00
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	\$163 64

ELECTRIC LIGHTS.

Paid Street lights,	\$333 66
Town Hall and office,	24 00
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	\$357 66

CEMETERIES.

Paid F. W. Clough, labor,	\$2 00
Peter McMurphy, "	4 00
William Pease, "	15 00
George W. Varney, "	2 00
Daniel Donovan, "	9 00
B. H. Brown, "	11 00
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	\$43 00

REPORT OF N. G. HOWARD, HIGHWAY AGENT.

DISTRICT NO. 1.

Paid N. G. Howard,	labor,	\$72 75
N. G. Howard, team,		92 25
George Pease,	labor,	21 00
W. H. Hale,	"	17 70
J. T. Pike, gravel,		5 10
George Pike,	labor,	16 20
Daniel Burleigh,	"	12 00
Lester Philbrick,	"	28 00
George W. Paul,	"	16 50
George W. Paul, team,		22 00
W. B. Grant, lumber,		1 50
George C. Chamberlain,	labor,	3 00
George C. Chamberlain,	team,	4 00
Daniel Donovan,	labor,	12 00
Jerry Towle,	"	9 98
George Gladding,	"	18 00
Charles Quinn,	"	4 50
Prince Bascom,	"	9 75
L. Purington,	"	1 20
G. S. Littlefield,	"	6 75
C. A. Pollard,	"	1 50
C. A. Pollard, team,		2 00
Rose and Ruth Pease,	gravel,	23 40
L. Breton,		80
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		\$401 88

WINTER WORK.

Paid N. G. Howard,	56 30
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\$458 18	

REPORT OF PERRY T. KUSE, HIGHWAY AGENT.

DISTRICT NO. 2.

Paid Perry T. Kuse,	labor,	\$35 00
Moses B. Ellis,	"	13 50
L. R. Smith,	"	12 00
C. F. Neal,	"	6 75
S. E. Neal,	"	8 25
Samuel Neal,	"	20 25
F. P. Neal,	"	2 00
J. Hanson,	"	5 25
Geo. W. Varney,	"	9 75
J. A. P. Neal, gravel,		14 30
" " team,		7 50
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		\$134 55

WINTER WORK.

Paid Perry T. Kuse, breaking roads,	28 45
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	\$163 00

REPORT OF DANIEL R. SMITH, HIGHWAY AGENT.

DISTRICT NO. 3.

Paid D. R. Smith,	labor,	\$22 40
" " team,		15 60
S. B. Tarbox,	"	7 65
Geo. Johnson,	"	11 70
L. C. Reynolds,	"	4 50
" " team,		6 00
L. Reynolds,	"	10 95
R. S. Abbott,	"	9 75
W. L. Lane,	"	9 30
A. Miles,	"	9 00
L. Miles,	"	7 20

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Paid C. E. Smith,	labor,	\$6 90
" "	team,	6 00
Charles Bean,	"	3 75
" "	team,	5 00
John Foss,	"	5 25
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		\$140 95

WINTER WORK.

Paid D. R. Smith, 1903 and 1904,	44 68
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	\$185 63

MISCELLANEOUS.

Paid John Templeton, town reports,	\$34 50
Allen Bros., office supplies,	1 50
E. A. Hanson, repairs at Town Hall,	2 00
Albert N. Dow, Treasurer, tuition Helen Sanborn,	10 00
B. H. Brown, stove wood, town office,	2 25
Chas. H. Sanborn, interest on note,	25 00
H. Jenness Paul, Memorial day,	25 00
E. C. Eastman, invoice book,	10 00
S. B. Church, fire department supplies,	10 50
Allen Bros., office supplies,	1 35
A. H. Wilkinson, copying inventory,	5 00
E. C. Patridge, freight and express,	1 20
Butts & Ordway Co., fire department supplies,	9 25
Chas. Carson, watching fire,	2 00
Levi Hanscomb, "	2 00
Jerry Towle, work for fire department,	8 50
C. A. Pollard, watching fire,	2 00
Geo. M. Howard, supplies for fire department,	1 00
Augustus Young, supplies for fire department,	1 20
E. A. Hanson, painting town house steps,	3 00
E. A. Hanson, work on Quinn lawn,	2 50

Paid Frank H. Pease, Supt., tuition of Wm. Smith,	\$15 00
Frank P. Neal, work and material at Town	
House,	31 00
W. B. Grant, teaming and supplies,	1 90
F. W. Clough, inspecting furnace,	1 00
F. A. Sanborn, watering trough,	3 00
J. T. Pike, table,	1 75
J. T. Pike, loam and fertilizer,	4 00
Jas. A. Spead, stationery,	4 20
J. S. Gray, repairing damage to Tetherly's	
fence,	2 25
R. B. Badger, rent of town office,	12 00
A. H. Varney, vital statistics,	2 50
Jerry Towle, trimming trees,	2 00
E. C. Patridge, agent, freight,	2 75
Frank H. Pease, tuition of Wm. Smith,	13 00
O. A. Fleming, furniture,	47 20
E. A. Hanson, teaming,	1 00
Geo. W. Paul, hose nozzle,	1 50
C. W. Palmer, janitor Town Hall,	8 50
N. G. Howard, snow plow,	9 19
Eastman & Hollis, counsel,	21 50
J. H. Batchelder, stationery,	5 72
R. Haworth, damage by boys,	2 00
Boston Woven Hose & Rubber Co., hose,	5 00

\$357 71

QUARANTINE.

Paid Eastman & Hollis, Marden case,	\$73 57
“ “ “ “	39 00
W. B. Blake, supplies,	1 20
A. H. Varney, vaccinating,	4 50

\$118 27

BRIDGES AND CULVERTS.

Paid P. T. Kuse, Thyng Road culvert,	\$13 95
Chelmsford Iron Co., grates,	18 52
N. G. Howard, Pease brook,	51 50
George W. Paul, iron drain,	25 10
“ “ District No. 2,	5 25
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	\$114 32

PUBLIC LIBRARY.

DR.

To appropriation,	\$50 00
interest on Brodhead fund,	350 00
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	\$400 00

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By George M. Howard, rent,	\$44 00
N. G. Howard, coal,	12 00
Portsmouth Trust and Guarantee Co., box	
rent,	4 00
J. T. Pike, wood,	1 50
B. F. Brown, preparing wood,	1 00
H. S. Pike, on note,	200 00
DeWolf, Fiske & Co., books,	66 99
C. A. Lewis, books,	3 90
H. E. Sanborn, books,	4 55
Edna H. Paul, supplies,	3 90
“ “ librarian,	25 00
A. H. Wilkinson, insurance,	22 50
J. A. Spead, printing,	2 00
E. C. Patridge, agent, express,	1 15
Perkins' Book Co., books,	13 92
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	\$406 41
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Balance,	\$6 41

NEWFIELDS, N. H., Feb. 15, 1904.

Town of Newfields To J. THORNTON PIKE, DR.

To taking inventory,	\$7 00
assessing taxes,	5 00
reports to State and County officers,	3 00
Exeter to consult counsel, 5 visits at \$1.50,	7 50
B. & M. drainage case,	5 00
location for telegraph company,	4 00
“ electric lights company,	2 00
work at semi-monthly meetings,	9 00
settlement with State,	5 00
settling town accounts,	6 00
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	\$53 50
Received payment,	

J. THORNTON PIKE.

NEWFIELDS, N. H., Feb. 13, 1904.

Town of Newfields To GEORGE W. PAUL, DR.

To assessing taxes,	\$5 00
making taxes,	4 00
settling with County Commissioners,	6 00
attending 18 semi-monthly meetings,	9 00
services, Boston and Maine drain case,	20 00
consulting counsel,	4 00
settling town accounts,	6 00
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	\$54 00

Received payment,

GEORGE W. PAUL,

NEWFIELDS, N. H., Feb. 13, 1904.

Town of Newfields To E. C. PATRIDGE, DR.

To taking inventory,	\$4 00
preparing inventory book,	3 00
assessing taxes,	4 00
preparing collector's book,	3 00
attending to correspondence,	2 00
to keeping books,	4 00
attending 18 semi-monthly meetings,	9 00
settling town accounts,	5 00
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	\$34 00

Received payment,

E. C. PATRIDGE.

BRODHEAD LIBRARY FUND.

DR.

To Brodhead legacy,	\$10,000 00
" " interest,	350 00
Balance of note,*	200 94
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	\$10,550 94

CR.

By Newmarket town bonds,	\$10,000 00
note outstanding,*	200 94
payment on note,	200 00
purchase and care of books,	150 00
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	\$10,550 94

*Balance of investment note dated Jan. 1, 1902, to be paid on or before Jan. 1, 1905.

WALKER CEMETERY FUND.

DR.

To Walker legacy,	\$1,000 00
" " interest,	35 00
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	\$1,035 00

CR.

By City of Newton bond,	\$1,000 00
cemetery work,	35 00
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	\$1,035 00

FOWLER CEMETERY FUND.

DR.

To G. C. Fowler, legacy,	\$200 00
interest to Nov. 18, 1903,	3 00
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	\$203 00

CR.

By deposit, Portsmouth T. & G. Co.,	\$200 00
" interest,	3 00
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	\$203 00

ABATEMENTS.

1902.

William Davis, out of state,	\$2 10
George W. Kendall, "	2 10
Andrew J. McGlinchy, dead,	2 10
George A. Johnson, Epping,	2 10
Charles A. Lamie, out of state,	2 10
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	\$10 50

1903.

William Davis, out of state,	\$2 00
George W. Kendall, "	2 00
George H. Pike, soldier,	2 00
George Lord, error in valuation,	4 00
Andrew McGlincy, dead,	2 00

 \$12 00

J. THORNTON PIKE, } Selectmen
 GEO. W. PAUL, } of
 E. C. PATRIDGE, } Newfields.

 FINANCIAL STATEMENT.

LIABILITIES.

None.

ASSETS.

Cash in Treasury,	\$206 32
Uncollected taxes, 1901,	13 26
" " 1902,	25 97
" " 1903,	266 13
In hands of State License Commissioners,	90 00

 \$601 68

GEORGE W. PAUL, } Selectmen
 E. C. PATRIDGE, } of Newfields.

This will certify that I have examined the accounts of the Selectmen, Treasurer, Highway Agents and Collector, and find them correctly cast and properly vouched.

FRANK C. NEAL, Auditor.

NEWFIELDS, N. H., February 15, 1904.

Town Warrant.

[L. S.] THE STATE OF NEW HAMPSHIRE.

*To the Inhabitants of the Town of Newfields, in the County of
Rockingham, in said State, qualified to vote in Town Affairs:*

You are hereby notified to meet at the Town Hall in said Newfields on Tuesday, the eighth day of March next, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, to act upon the following subjects :

1. To choose all necessary town officers for the year ensuing.
2. To raise such sums of money as may be necessary to defray town charges for the ensuing year, and make appropriation of the same.
3. To transact such other business as may legally come before the meeting.

Given under our hands and seal this twentieth day of February, in the year of our Lord nineteen hundred and four.

J. THORNTON PIKE,	} Selectmen of Newfields.
GEO. W. PAUL,	
E. C. PATRIDGE,	

Report of Library Trustees.

The tenth annual report of the Librarian.

Number of bound volumes in the Library, 1868.

Number of volumes added during the year, 97.

Number of volumes purchased, 82.

Gifts of books have been received as follows: Miss Isabelle Paul, 1 v.; Harper & Bros., 1 v.; Newfields Book Club, 13 v.; also *Review of Reviews* for 1903.

Number of volumes in circulation during the year, 2,272.

Average number of books delivered per week, 45; largest number out of the library at any time, 99.

Percentage of fiction called for, 62; history, 5; travel, 5; biography, 4; natural science, 3; other classes, 21.

EDNA H. PAUL, Librarian.

We commend the Librarian's Report.

The schools are making greater use of the library each year, and this source of knowledge thus patronized, under the direction of the teachers and with the aid of the Librarian, is extending its influence with excellent results.

The reading room continues to be a successful auxiliary to the Library.

HARRIET E. SANBORN, } Library
EMMA P. CONNER, } Trustees.

Report of School Board, 1903-1904.

The annual meeting of Newfields School District was held in the Town Hall on Saturday evening, March 14, 1903. The meeting was called to order at seven o'clock by Charles E. Smith, Moderator, then proceeded to transact business. Officers for the ensuing year were chosen and qualified. H. Jenness Paul, Moderator; Lewis C. Hall, Clerk; Mrs. Clara E. Paul, Treasurer; Joseph F. Haley, Auditor; Frank C. Neal, member of the School Board for the next three years. The School Board presented the annual report which was accepted and adopted.

March 17 the School Board met and organized. They authorized the selectmen to enumerate the children of school age in town, and the teachers of the previous year were re-elected. Miss Isophene K. Dow, teacher of the Grammar School; Miss Harriet E. Sanborn, Sub-Grammar; Miss Sarah A. Jones, Primary; Miss Lillia M. Hurd, Piscassic.

The Spring term of each of the schools commenced March 30, and closed June 19; 12 weeks in length. Fall term commenced September 8, closed December 11; 14 weeks in length. Winter term commenced December 28, closed February 12; seven weeks in length. Total for the year, 33 weeks for each school.

Good progress is being made in grading the Village schools. In order to raise the standard of each grade, no promotions were made the last year, but advanced work was given each class prepared for it. Faithful work has been done by teachers and most of the pupils. If teachers and pupils in these schools can continue the work uninterrupted through the Spring term at the end of the school year, most in the classes will be prepared for promotion to a higher grade, and several, it is hoped, will be fitted to enter a High School. Too much praise cannot be given all the teachers in town for their enthusiastic, loving, patient devotion to the schools.

Would that more of the parents and friends visited the schools during term time, and saw something of the amount of work done from day to day that deserves grateful appreciation. No change in text books has been made during the year. Montgomery's Bookkeeping has been introduced into the Grammar school. Algebra is to be taken as soon as the pupils in the highest grade are ready for it. Much interest has been created in the study of Language, History, and Geography by supplementary reading on kindred topics. Excellent written work has been done in each of the schools, even by the primary scholars. The public and school libraries are being made very useful in the work of the pupils. A few volumes have recently been added to the school libraries, and a fine framed steel engraving, "Signing the Declaration of Independence," has been presented to the schools. The teacher, pupils, and all interested, return very grateful thanks for the new slate blackboards that have been placed in the Grammar school room within the year, thus providing for a need that has long existed.

Special days. The exercises by the schools on Memorial Day were of unusual interest, consisting of dialogues, readings, recitations and songs. The parts were well rendered, showing faithful drill by teachers and thorough work by pupils. The schools generally have appropriate exercises just preceding Fourth of July, Thanksgiving, Christmas, also on Lincoln's and Washington's birthdays.

Examinations and Exhibitions. The special examinations occur at the close of the spring term, which is the close of the school year, as arranged by the State Superintendent of Public Instruction. These took place in each school room. The work of the schools was exhibited in oral and written examinations many were of a high order and very creditable to the pupils. At the close of the Fall term, the Piscassic school had very interesting Christmas exercises, the pupils, as usual, doing remarkably well. The Primary school had visitors' day at the close of the Winter term. In reading and particularly in number work they deserve high commendation, likewise in their study and written work on Longfellow and Lowell. These, with recitations and songs, made a pleasing entertainment. The Sub-Grammar school is a company of busy

workers. They show enthusiasm and good proficiency in their studies, written work is a pleasure, and no duty is irksome. At the close of the Fall term they enjoyed a social hour with friends, having readings, singing, pop corn and candy. Impromptu exercises appropriate for Lincoln's birthday closed the Winter term. December 11, the Grammar school had an exhibition of work for the careful inspection of visitors. Geography, History and Physiology were finely illustrated by drawings, maps and written work. Blackboard work in Arithmetic was excellent, as also was written work in Language. As the pupils were individually questioned by the visitors, prompt answers and ready explanations proved thorough instruction and faithful study.

ROLL OF HONOR.

Not absent or tardy during the year: Charles Lester Simpson. During the Spring term: Gertrude Smith, Eva Howard, Mabel Paul, Annie Kendall, Fred Thompson, Alfred Gray, Earle Green, Ella Kendall, Perley Kendall, Edmund Lamie, Stephen Gray, Beatrice Smith, Florence Smith. During the Fall term: Inez Gray, Alfred Gray, Wallace Paul, Louise Kendall, Ruth Howard, Pearl Le Vangie, Dorothy Coon, Ella Kendall, Stephen Gray, Beatrice Smith, Esther Brown. During the Winter term: Wallace Paul, Esther Clough, Eva Howard, Marion Howard, Annie Kendall, Mabel Paul, Earle Green, Andrew McWhinney, Elbridge Green, Eddie Green, Edna Kimball, Esther Brown. Earle Green has not been absent for a year, and tardy but once. Gertrude Smith has been absent but one-half day, and tardy but once for two years.

GENERAL SUMMARY FOR SCHOOL YEAR, ENDING JULY, 1903.

Number of schools in the district, 4; semi-graded, 3; ungraded, 1. Aggregate length of all the schools in weeks, 128; greatest number of weeks in any school, 32; least number, 32; average length, 32. School houses, 3; rooms, 4; estimated value, \$4,000; apparatus, \$250. Pupils attending school, 106; boys, 57; girls, 49; under 6 years of age, 10; over 16, 5; between 6 and 16, 89; greatest number in any school, 35; least number,

10; average attendance, 76.8; per cent. of attendance, 82.47. Average salary of teachers per month, \$36. Normal school graduates, 2. Population of town, 647. Average expense per pupil for school supplies, \$1.30. Average total cost for tuition, \$16.50. Visits by School Board, 31; by citizens, 135.

SCHOOL CALENDAR.

Spring term begins April 4, 1904.

Fall term begins September 6, 1904.

Winter term begins January 2, 1905.

Respectfully submitted,

FRANK C. NEAL.

C. E. SMITH.

MARY C. FITTS.

NEWFIELDS, February 17, 1904.

REPORT OF TREASURER OF SCHOOL BOARD.

DR.

Amount brought forward from 1902,	\$41 51
Money, by law,	852 00
Extra money,	425 00
Blackboards,	100 00
Literary fund,	63 72
Dog tax,	28 40
Received from Exeter for tuition of Exeter children,	93 50
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	\$1,604 13

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TEACHERS.

Paid Harriet E. Sanborn,	\$297 00
Lillia M. Hurd,	297 00
Sadie A. Jones,	264 00
Isophene K. Dow,	330 00
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	\$1,188 00

FUEL.

Paid G. W. Paul, 4 1-2 cords wood,	\$13 50
C. E. Smith, wood (Piscassic),	22 25
“ “ (Village),	24 50
A. E. Gray, sawing wood,	6 00
B. P. Reed, sawing wood,	4 00
Nathan Howard, coal,	59 48
H. W. Anderson, 4,220 lbs. coal,	14 77
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	\$144 50

MISCELLANEOUS.

Paid J. E. Fowler, repairs,	\$3 00
Ed. Hersey, plastering,	10 00
Ed. Hanson, stock and labor,	7 00
G. W. Paul, teaming, supplies,	1 75

Paid James Spread, 2 clocks and supplies,	\$9 85	
Levi Hanscomb, removing ashes (1902),	2 00	
Augustus Young, rope and hooks,	1 85	
A. P. Wendell, oil,	2 50	
Legalizing school meeting,	75	
Walter B. Grant, grate,	3 50	
Walter B. Grant, stock and labor on frozen pipes,	13 87	
Mrs. Abbott, cleaning Piscassic room,	3 00	
	<hr/>	\$59 07

BLACKBOARDS.

Paid Troy Bros. & Co., blackboards,	\$71 02	
G. W. Paul, teaming,	2 20	
E. A. Hanson,	3 00	
Frank P. Neal,	23 00	
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JANITORS.

Paid Piscassic Janitor,	\$7 20	
Piscassic, repairs and supplies,	4 50	
A. E. Gray, as Janitor,	62 00	
A. E. Gray, repairs and cleaning,	24 20	
	<hr/>	\$97 90
Paid Joseph F. Haley, Auditor,	1 50	
Cash balance on hand,	13 94	
	<hr/>	\$1,604 13

CLARA E. PAUL, Treasurer.

This will certify that I have examined the accounts of the School Board and find them correctly cast and properly vouched.

JOSEPH F. HALEY, Auditor.

Newfields, N. H., February 15, 1904,

School Warrant.

THE STATE OF NEW HAMPSHIRE.

To the inhabitants of the School District in the town of Newfields qualified to vote in District Affairs:

You are hereby notified to meet at the Town Hall, in said District, on the twelfth day of March, 1904, at seven o'clock in the afternoon, to act upon the following subjects :

1. To choose all necessary District Officers for the coming year.
2. To choose a member of the School Board for the ensuing three years.
3. To hear the reports of Agents, Auditors, Committees, or Officers heretofore chosen, and to pass any vote relating thereto.
4. To see how much money the District will raise and appropriate for the support of schools.
5. To transact all other business which may properly come before the meeting.

Given under our hands at said Newfields, this the seventeenth day of February, 1904.

FRANK C. NEAL.
C. E. SMITH.
MARY C. FITTS.

BIRTHS Registered in the Town of Newfields, N. H., for the year ending December 31, 1903.

Date 1903.	Name of Child (if any).	Male or Female.	No. of Child.	Living or Still- born.	Name of Father.	Maiden Name of Mother.	Birthplace of Father.	Birthplace of Mother.
Jan. 28	John R.,	M	1	S	William Thurston,	Ruth A. Thurston,	Fremont,	Epping.
Jan. 29	Herman M.,	M	2	L	Ralph W. Furbush,	Addie Corson,	Berwick, Me.,	Newfields.
Feb. 11	Mary P.,	M	1	"	Eugene C. Patridge,	Alice J. Small,	Buxton, Me.,	Groveland, Ms.
April 16		F	3	"	Michael Donovan,	Myrtie Tuttle,	Ireland,	Newfields.
June 21	Catherine E.,	F	3	"	Charles O. Cook,	Mary Kennedy,	Waterville, Me.,	Nova Scotia.
Sept. 17	James, } twins,	M	3	"	Michael J. Herlihy,	Mary Cronin,	Ireland,	Ireland.
Sept. 21	John, }	M	4	"	John Herlihy,	Catherine Sullivan,	Ireland,	Ireland.
Nov. 13	Leonard W.,	M	5	"	Lester N. Philbrick,	Frances L. Barrett,	Rye,	Boston, Mass.

MARRIAGES Registered in the Town of Newfields, N. H., for the year ending December 31, 1903.

Date of Marriage.	Place of Marriage.	Name and surname of groom and bride.	Age. . . .	Color	Place of Birth of each.	Names of Parents.	Condition.	Name, Residence and Official Station of person by whom married.
Aug. 24,	Newfields,	Bert P. Atkinson, Mary F. Smith,	21 19	W "	Tilton, Concord,	Leroy S. Atkinson, Edna A. Adams, John M. Smith, Josephine F. Stillson, Charles F. Ham,		Rev. I. B. Miller, Newfields.
Nov. 14,	Newfields,	Albert H. Ham, Maud A. Wheeler,	27 24	" "	Newfields, So. Berwick, Me.	Josephine P. Houghton, Fred L. Wheeler, Harriett A. Robbins, George W. Towle,		Rev. N. W. P. Smith, Newfields.
Nov. 15,	Newmarket,	John M. Towle, Sadie M. Davis,	24 23	" "	Dover, Newmarket,	Ella B. Page, Stephen H. Davis, Annie Sanborn,		Rev. C. W. Taylor, Newmarket.

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